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Title	UPSTREAM BANDWIDTH ALLOCATION FOR PACKET TELEPHONY IN A SHARED-MEDIA PACKET-SWITCHED ACCESS NETWORK	

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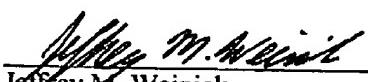
## STATUS INQUIRY

On August 24, 2006 Applicant filed a Petition Under 37 CFR §1.181 to Withdraw Holding of Abandonment in connection with the above identified patent application. That Petition was granted in a Decision on Petition mailed September 22, 2006. That Decision indicated that the Office of Patent Publication would be notified of the decision so this application could be processed into a patent.

No patent has issued as of the date of the filing of this Status Inquiry.

Applicants request information as to the status of this application.

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